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Fourth Fortnightly Crop Report

Issued by the Department of Agriculture, Province of Alberta, June 13, 1931.

Crop conditions throughout Alberta have been much improved by the showers of the past few days. Reports indicate that almost all parts of the province have received precipitation although the amount varies widely at different points. Showers are reported in the Peace River District and throughout Northern Alberta. Quite heavy rains fell along the main line of the C. P. R. from Calgary to Edmonton and for some distance east. Fair rains were also experienced in the area south of Calgary and around Lethbridge. Farther east in the central part of the province, where drought conditions have been severe, showers have been general although some districts have received very little to date.

All seeding is completed with the exception of acreage being sown for green feed. The recent rains have encouraged farmers to increase the area devoted to this purpose. Where drought conditions have been most severe, early sown crops have suffered to a degree from which they cannot fully recover and yields will inevitably be below average. Late sown grains are now making satisfactory progress and with continued favorable conditions should produce satisfactory yields. It is generally considered that the hay crop will be light due to the

Geo. Benbow's Pupils Pass Music Exams.

All pupils of Mr. George J. Benbow, who recently took the Associated Board of the Royal Academy of Music and the Royal College of Music examinations, have passed in all practical subjects, with an average of 77. The following are the results.

Preliminary Grade—Zoe Thygeson, honorable mention, 83%. Elementary Grade—Arthur Gustell, honorable mention, 84%; Phyllis Lower, honorable mention, 81; Harold Keown, 78%; Beth Whitlock, 72%. Lower Division—Jean Lees, 75%; Joyce Bergh, 70%. Higher Division—Beryl Scott 74; Christine Kerr, 73%; Ethel Jorgenson, 72; Eva Gaskey, 71%; Mary Smale, 69%.

80% required for honorable mention. Beryl Scott also passed rudiments and elementary harmony 80; this gives her one unit in high school (Music I). The other girls who passed in Higher Division, will receive Music I, when they have passed Rudiments.

Mr. George Benbow was successful in his examination for a second time and has been named a Licentiate of the Associated Board of the Royal Academy of Music and the Royal College of Music, (3rd Performer's Degree of Concert Standing or L.A.B.).

WEDDING

Evdokimenko—Korichenko

The marriage of Miss Vera Korichenko, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Korichenko of Oyen, Alta., to Mr. Jack Evdokimenko, of Cando, Sask., was solemnized in the Wesley United Church, Saskatoon, on Friday, June 12, 1931, Rev. Joseph W. Pratt, officiating.

Following the wedding ceremony, the bridal party drove to the home of the groom's parents at Island Lake, where over two hundred guests sat at a dinner served in honor of the bride and groom. Among the guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. S. Korichenko, Mr. and Mrs. H. Peterson and Mr. Chas. McMuray of Oyen; Mr. Miller, M.P. and Mrs. Miller of Biggar, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Korichenko of Cando.

After a short honeymoon in Saskatoon, the newly wedded couple will reside at Cando.

prolonged period of dry weather. Pastures which in many instances have made little growth are showing improvement.

Farmers are taking advantage of present moisture conditions to sow clover, alfalfa and grass seeds. Special crops, particularly on the irrigated areas, are in good condition and with the continuation of favorable weather should give satisfactory yields.

Slight damage from cutworms is reported in widely scattered areas but this is not a serious factor to date. Several small outbreaks of grasshoppers have occurred and immediate steps have been taken to supply poison to meet this condition.

Livestock has suffered considerably from shortage of pasture and water and are not in as good condition as is usual at this season. It is expected, however, that with the present moisture and better pasture conditions, considerable improvement will be made.

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TWO BROKERS ACQUITTED BY TORONTO JURY

W. N. U. 1894

Spirit of Nationalism Is Largely Responsible For World Depression Says Sir George Paish

Sir George Paish, formerly editor of the London Standard and one of Great Britain's most distinguished economists, is in the United States holding conferences with leading statesmen, business men, and bankers. He sets forth in an interview in *Barrow's Weekly* his views as to the causes for and the remedies to be applied in curing the business depression now prevailing in this country and the world at large. It is genuine, he is alarmed over the outlook, says the Manitoba Free Press, and states that the spirit of nationalism in the United States and Europe is responsible for the depression and that it is forcing the world into bankruptcy. In his interview he says:

"Without desiring to be severe, I am compelled by the facts of the situation to state, and to state definitely, that the spirit of nationalism in the United States is in no small degree responsible for world depression, as well as for the depression in the United States, and that unless this spirit is changed, both in the United States and in other countries, from that of nationalism to what I may term universalism, that is, the spirit which promotes, with regard to all nations, any remedy of the present situation cannot be found."

"The distress in which all nations find themselves today will only increase until there is a real danger of both a trade and a credit collapse. The nations which are pursued, not only in America but also in Europe and in other countries, are forcing the world into bankruptcy and it is into revolution. It is impossible to survey the political conditions now prevailing in the world without a feeling of great anxiety. Already many revolutions have taken place in South America and a good many in Europe, and others will undoubtedly take place if this policy is persisted in."

"The remedy is not an effort to be self-contained, not an effort by each nation to do without the rest of the world, but an increasing effort towards co-operation, and nations in the interest of the common well-being."

"Possibly in ancient times there was something to be said for the policy now being pursued when the racial spirit was so strong and nations were in process of formation, but in these days, when the world has become an economic unit and co-operation has for a very considerable period been bringing its contribution to the common well-being, it is not only folly but also criminal for nations to seek to go back to the policy that was suitable to primitive conditions. If pursued in this day and age to a condition of distress without parallel."

"The only possible policy that will carry the nations out of their present troubles into a new and greater spirit of prosperity is a policy of collaboration and co-operation, which will make the whole world still more efficient as an economic unit, which will expand the production of all countries, which will expand the trade of all countries, and which will bring universal prosperity."

"The effort to go back to the old conditions has already brought great suffering, and the continuance of this effort will intensify this suffering in a manner that no reasonable being desires to contemplate."

"The immediate outlook is most disturbing, and it is evident that constructive measures for the rehabilitation of the property of all nations must be taken without delay if disaster is to be averted."

Travel Far To Take Job
To work for six months on a new \$250,000 hotel being built in Bermuda six sisters and 190 other skillful workers recently sailed from 3,000 miles from Liverpool, England. This party of workers brings the total number of English craftsmen making the voyage to 300. The hotel is being built by a British concern.

Don't drop insinuations. A bigger man may pick them up.

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B.C. Lumber Industry

Large Orders From Australia and British Market Beginning Of New Era

British Columbia's lumber industry, because of its whole business life, started to swing back towards prosperity recently with the placing of orders for 4,000,000 feet of mining timbers for Australia and 1,500,000 railway crossing timbers for England.

In announcing receipt of these orders by British Columbia mills, Hon. N. S. Loughheed, minister of lands, declared it was the best business news British Columbia had heard since the start of the industrial depression.

"The lumber industry, as it will may be, is jubilant," he said, "for this, it is believed, marks the swing of the pendulum upwards. And I can say without going further at this time that it will probably be the forerunner of other large orders. It looks as if the lumber business had reached bottom and was going to climb upwards again in a way which would insure a stable time."

This same situation occurred in 1916, when a big order for lumber from England started the wheels to turn in our mills once more.

Comparing Present With Past

World Changes Many Of Its Beliefs During Progress Of Years

News from Lisbon of sharp earthquake shocks naturally recalls the great Lisbon earthquake of 1755, one of the greatest seismic disasters in history.

But to those who like to compare the present with the past to the present's advantage it will also recall the prevailing belief 175 years ago that the Lisbon earthquake was a visitation of God. There was some preaching in this country to similar effect when the earthquake of 1811 occurred, nearly a few years ago and devastated Southern Florida. But even intelligent circles of 1755 like Voltaire were inclined to see God's hand in the earthquake and tidal wave that destroyed 50,000 lives in the Portuguese capital.

Beliefs in a century and three-quarters. If what we like to consider twentieth century knowledge smiles patronizingly at eighteenth century ignorance, what will be the attitude of the future of 175 years to the present whose theories are to the cause of earthquakes are still as vague as superstitions themselves.

People Should Use Eggs

One Of Most Valuable Foods and Price Is Low

People who have families to feed and who must count the cost of every thing they buy are foolish if they do not make a full use of eggs and butter these days. Word comes from Toronto, however, that people are not buying as many eggs as when they were double or treble the price. An egg, so long as it is fresh, is just as good at a cent as one at five cents. People who are not thrifty enough to take advantage of the present low prices are not good managers. Butter, milk and eggs, the three most valuable foods obtainable are now procurable at lower prices than for years.

Work Tests For Idle

Enforcement of work tests before relief would be granted and a uniform system of registering unemployed were approved by the Regina City Council at a recent meeting, when proposals arising from the conference between representatives of Regina, Saskatoon, Moose Jaw and Prince Albert and the government last week, were discussed. They will be put into effect immediately.

London may ban smoking in theatres.

Europe is spending \$2,600,000,000 a year on military preparations.

NEW HEADS OF 'CANADIAN MANUFACTURERS' ASSOCIATION

William H. Miner (right), and William C. Coulter (left), elected President and First Vice-President, respectively, of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association at the annual convention in Victoria, British Columbia.

Soviets Buying Farm Products In Advance

Have Contracted With Russians For Output Of 235 Million Acres

Expanding its policy of buying farm products in advance from individual peasants and collectivized farms, the Soviet Union in this year is signing contracts for the crops on 235,000,000 acres.

More than half of these purchases are of grain and already more than 80 per cent. of the agreements for the cereal output of 125,000,000 acres have been signed.

The program calls for advance purchase of 5,400,000 acres of cotton, 3,000,000 acres of sugar beets, 1,500,000 of hemp and flax, 460,000 of tobacco, and considerable areas devoted to soy beans and sunflower seeds which are cultivated for their vegetable oils.

The government furnishes mineral fertilizers, farm implements, expert agricultural advice and supervision selected seed grains to peasants who sign contracts. There also are some advance cash payments which have been estimated for the year at about \$172,500,000, an average of about 75 cents an acre.

The peasant's final return for his labor depends then upon the quality of the farm that he has. If he gets a crop of better than average quality, he sells it to the government after harvest at a premium over the market price paid for farm products. If he lies down on the job he is out of luck.

Information Not Available

And Question Whether Scotsmen Kiss

Do Scotsmen kiss? That is the question which was raised in a breach of promise case when it was asserted that people north of the Tweed do not believe in kissing. So surprising a statement must not pass without investigation, so I asked several Scotsmen about it. It was not difficult to find them—one has only to go to the "Mac" in Fleet Street to collect dozens.

The first was most unsatisfactory. He was a little deaf, said "Yes," he believed in kissing women. So I tried another who, with proverbial cannicness, said it depended on the woman. Another Scot was "all for it" while a fourth advised me to try it for myself. I must own of these days. The answers, though somewhat evasive, proved one thing—that it is as futile to generalize about the Scots as any other nation.—London Sunday Pictorial.

May Follow Short Route

Lindbergh Likely To Fly East On Trip To Orient

The New York Times says Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh and his wife on their proposed flight to China and Japan may fly east instead of west on a course across Greenland and Spitzbergen, through Siberia and thence to China.

The great circle route, the shortest possible distance to Peking from New York flying eastward, would bring them close to the north pole, but the route would touch points which might be considered as fuel and supply bases.

When asked concerning this route, Colonel Lindbergh said his plans were not complete, but that several courses were being considered.

Out Of Balance

Children is vast enough to feed all her children. If she is not succeeding at the moment it is because her population is badly distributed. Too dense in the towns. It is too sparsely populated in the country districts. Every effort made to re-establish the balance should meet with encouragement.

It may not be proper to precede the father of your best girl friend's ball but sometimes it is policy.

Canada's National Parks Are Becoming Important Factors In Dominion's Tourist Industry

Experiment Again a Success

Astronomical Society Proves Earth Revolves On Its Axis

An experiment to prove by means of a pendulum that the earth rotates on its axis was successfully repeated by the Argentine Astronomical Society at Buenos Aires recently. The society employed the method used by Jean Foucault when he performed the same experiment for the first time eighty years ago, and the same results were obtained.

As long ago as 305 B.C. Heracleides of Pontus taught that the earth turned on its axis. But it was generally thought, even through the Middle Ages, that the earth was stationary, and that the heavens revolved around it. Though the revolutionary work of Copernicus in the sixteenth century and the observations made possible by the invention of the telescope made this belief in an unmovable earth improbable, it was not until 1851 that Foucault was able to show that the earth actually rotates on its axis. His contention has since been verified by other experimental methods.

From the dome of the Pantheon at Paris, Foucault suspended a heavy iron ball by wire about two hundred feet long. A pin attached to the bottom of the ball touched a layer of sand spread on a table below. The movement of the pendulum was traced by the pin on the layer of sand.

Having arranged these matters to his satisfaction, Foucault held the pendulum stationary by means of a cord for several hours, or until the pendulum had become absolutely still. Then the cotton cord was burned so that the ball swung without any jar. It was observed that, with each vibration, the pin on the table traced a small circle. Instead of drawing only one line, as would have happened if the earth were not rotating, the pin shifted to such a rate that a complete rotation would have been made in thirty-two hours if the pendulum had not come to rest.

British Admiralty Holds

Navies Are Essential

Sir Roger Keyes Believes In Force Behind Treaties

Reduction of the strength of the British navy as a step toward peace was described as "blind folly" by the famous British sailor, Admiral of the Fleet Sir Roger Keyes in a speech before the annual dinner of the National Association of Head Teachers.

"Such agreements are a delayed action, and a circuit of international relations and justify some reduction of armaments, but to trust to paper pacts without a force behind them would be analogous to trusting our laws without police to enforce them."

"Our sea communications are as vital to us as the air we breathe, yet every reduction of our navy is hailed by those to whom I have just referred and by others who really know better as another step toward perpetual peace."

"What blind folly it all is!"

Admiral Keyes commanded the Dover patrol during the Great War, directed the naval operations of Zeebrugge April 23, 1918, and later was commander-in-chief of the British Mediterranean fleet.

A Sensible Question

Little Willie came home in a nude state. He had a black eye and numerous scratches and contusions and his clothes were a sight. His mother was horrified at the spectacle presented by her darling. There were tears in her eyes as she addressed him rebukingly:

"Oh, Willie, Willie! How often have I told you not to play with that naughty Peck boy!"

Little Willie regarded his mother with an expression of deepest disgust.

"Say, ma," he objected, "do I look as if I had been playing with anybody?"

New Story Not Needed

The story is told of two bishops, known to each other as Bill and William in their exceedingly friendly relationship. One day William wrote to Bill in a deplorable manner: "Dear Bill—I have found a new story to tell you when she had gone out."—Kasper, Stockholm.

Canada's national parks are factors in the rise of the Dominion's tourist industry. The attraction and scenic beauty of the thousands of visitors who are annually taking to the roads and trails of this continent is rapidly becoming in Canada an industry of national importance. Areas of great natural beauty are being more and more sought and the army of vacationists upon whom the great outdoors has cast its beneficent spell continues to grow.

The far-reaching importance of the national parks in increasing the flow of tourists to the Dominion is shown by the growing numbers who annually visit these great scenic playgrounds. Last year nearly a million people flocked by rail, motor, and boat to the parks. Both those in the West and those in the East were well patronized, the total being 1,443,359 visitors. Banff Park attracted the greatest number, 443,443 visiting the famous Alberta resort. Jasper Park drew 157,848 persons; Kootenay Park, 143,125; Watkins Park, 141,877; Buffalo Park, 12,537; Elk Island Park, 30,181; and Glacier, Revelstoke, and Mount Assiniboine had a total of almost 20,000.

Princess Alberta National Park, Saskatchewan's unit in the Parks' system, recorded a considerable increase in the number of visitors last year, the 1930 total reaching 17,164, or 7,000 more than the previous year. In the first year of its existence, Riding Mountain National Park in Manitoba, attracted 15,028 persons.

In the East, national parks and recreational areas also attracted increasing numbers. Point Pelee Park, the most southerly point in Canada, and the St. Lawrence Islands Parks, both in Ontario, reported higher totals. Point Pelee had 104,000 visitors last season and the Islands Parks drew 15,000. The historic parks, Fort Beauséjour, New Brunswick, and Fort Bessborough, Nova Scotia, and Fort Bessborough, Nova Scotia, drew 18,000 and 12,000 visitors respectively.

Indications for the present season point to another large influx of visitors to the national parks and surrounding areas. Numerous requests for information are being received in the Department of the Interior. Of special interest is the fact that the 1932 anniversary of the opening of Canada will be held in Prospect's Valley in the shadow of the Ten Peaks in Banff Park.

Alberta Creameries

Cream Receipts In Alberta Are Reported On Up-Grade

Cream receipts in Alberta creameries continue the up-grade with 1,642,007 pounds of butterfat recorded for the five-week period ending May 2nd, an increase of 80.7 per cent. over April last year, according to Dr. C. P. Marker, dairy commissioner. The current section of the province made a gain of 92.3 per cent. for 1931 during the first 18 weeks. The average test in 1931 was 32.4, a gain over the 31.1 average of the year ago. The main volume of cream has shown better quality as 92.4 per cent. graded "top quality." The year-to-date receipts in 1931 reached 4,593,229 pounds of butterfat.

Vegetable Cannery

A vegetable cannery, which it is reported, will be the largest in the British Empire, is to be established in Essex County, Ontario, at a cost estimated at \$1,500,000. The district in which this new cannery is to be built is one of the most productive in North America.

Private hoarding of funds has been condemned by the Portuguese government.

It is strange how a man will chase a girl until she catches him.

"How did you manage to cut off a lock of Miss Fribble's hair without her noticing it?"

"I slipped off her when she had gone out."—Kasper, Stockholm.

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CHAPTER XX.

Angela was in her element. To the only beautiful woman aboard yacht sailing amid fairy isles — have the daily companionship of man who, her husband had implied was adamant to her charms, and realize that he was keenly aware of them—to have even as antiquated male as Colonel Nowell eager for her favors, was the breath of life to her. In no way could Amy Myer be regarded as a rival. She was not beautiful, and it was evident that she cared not a snap of her fingers for the admiration of either Nick or the Colonel.

Myer himself was on his good feet, haviour, and Angela was too absorbed in her conquest of Nick to feel the pinch chagrined at the fact that not only had her host manoeuvred to be alone with her. Possibly the presence of his small daughter, to whom he was unquestionably devoted, made a difference. Indeed, little Marjorie was the only rival whom Angela feared for to Nick the child was a source of unending entertainment. Some times for entire mornings the two would play a game of hide-and-seek, or a card game, while Angela temporarily retired, inwardly boiled with rage, and wondered why the Myers should be so

Nick grew to like Mrs. Myer, but in a blasé manner which had repelled her last summer at Bakersville, seemed to drop away on shipboard. At H. Marjorie's entreaty she sometimes joined in their games; and with the child, at least, she was unaffected.

And Amy Myer liked Nick. It was on a night when he and Angela had entranced them all by singing together in the quiet, tropic starlight, that in the privacy of their own stateroom, she confided that liking to her husband.

It makes me tired to see Angela
her cap for him. She doesn't
much headway; but I tell you w
George Myer, if I find her succee
as I've watched her succeed with
guess, we'll put up for the nearest po
"Oh, I guess Hastings sent thro
her all right. He's" "In the in
"I guessed Myer indifferent
She said, her back to him; an
how about yourself—lank some
on the terrace at Bakerville?"

Myer was bent low over a ref
tory shoo-lace. When he lifted
face it had acquired a brick-red
that was not the result of fre

Amy removed a last hairpin, shook out the wonderful coils of dark hair which was her only beauty. "So you thought I didn't know dear? I fear you were careless. As happened, I was on the other side that lilac bush; and if I'm not taken that freak of a maid was in the dining room, directly behind you. I time—"

"You know jolly well that that won't be a next time," he said grimly. "There wouldn't have been—that,"

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hadn't been for the moon, and a damn pretty woman thrown in."

"Yes, she's pretty," admitted Amy. She drew a quick sigh as her eyes met her own image in the mirror. Myer heard it, and felt, amid disgust at his own weakness, a sudden, long-dormant protective tenderness for his wife. He arose, limping toward her on one leg, and lifted a strand of her beautiful hair.

"Can she beat that?"

"But—but it's all I have, George."

"I'm damned if it is! Do you think for a minute—"

She turned, smiling up at him, her eyes bright.

"No, I don't; but I didn't like her making a fool of you, my dear. That's something no woman who loves her husband likes to see. And she did make a fool of you, George—you can't deny it. It was to prove to myself that my faith in you was unshaken, that I asked her to come with us on this cruise. But I don't like her playing with Nick Hastings. He's got a wife of his own."

Well he hasn't forgotten her—yet; and it's my opinion that he enjoys the kid darn sight more than he enjoys Angela."

He still held the strand of her hair,

"I do," said Amy, "and because I understand, I forgive you; but just look out that it doesn't happen again, George."

"I can promise it won't. I've never broken my word to you, I have I?"

"No. Perhaps that's my reason for trusting you."

She gently loosened the fingers that held her hair, and began brushing it with sure, swift strokes. Her husband watched her a moment silently; then

sat down and unlaced his other shoe. No more words passed between them, but later when he kissed her good night, he told himself that he was a miserable cat, and that his wife was the most wonderful woman in the world, which, after all, is a healthy state of mind for a married man.

These were enchanted days to Nick, though at times he worried at the thought that he was accepting a good deal from mere acquaintances. He said as much one morning when he and Amy Myer were playing at shuttle-board with Marjorie, whose Nick had taught to be fairly skillful.

Amy smiled. "My friend, you're worth your weight in gold just as a nursemaid! I've never taken Marjorie on a cruise and had so much leisure for myself. The child adores you. If there's an obligation it's on our side."

Angela, who had been watching the game, gave vent to one of her bored shams.

"Isn't that a unique way to regard one's guest—as a nursemaid?" she queried abruptly.

Nick laughed; but Amy replied unsmiling: "Better a nursemaid than a lady's man, I think, or—or a tana-

Their eyes clashed for a moment then Angela looked away. It was like a sudden unheating of swords, with Nick, happily unconscious, did not see. He laughed as he said: "I don't mind in the least being regarded as a nursemaid, Angela. Gay says I'm a corker and can do most anything for the kids that she can, from washing to telling bedtime stories."

Her lip curled. For the moment she was angry with him.

"Mother! You are then, a sort of mother's-helper?"

The words were spiteful. Armand smiled and thought: "A few more years and I shall be a mother's-helper."

"That's not a bad shot, Angela; it doesn't hurt. I'd be ashamed not to be something of a 'mother's-help' when I've got two kids and no nurse maid to look after 'em. And wouldn't miss the fun of it, either. Say! your husband's just finding out! He has great times with his small protegee."

He regretted the words almost instantly. His regret deepened with the way that Angela had flushed.

she replied evenly: "Yes, Jim. I have been devoted itself to-Bakersville. Are you so blind as to imagine that Martha is the attraction?"

She met his puzzled eyes with a mocking glance that baffled him. And Myer, watching intently, felt sudden joy that there was some horrid meaning behind Angela's remark. It was all to call to lunch that interrupted the question on Nick's lips, and then Angela to give thanks to her husband. Her irritation had carried her beyond her depth. Next time, she thought, she must be more careful.

It was a week later, one evening

when little Marjorie had gone to bed, that Colonel Nowell quite innocently set off a bomb—at least, it was a bomb to Angela, and supplied fuel for thought to more than one of the party.

The day had been unusually oppressive, followed by an evening of more

beauty that seemed to filter through the hazy atmosphere. The sea was like glass; the air balmy, and fragrant with the scent of some wild herb, wafted from an island that they were to explore next day. Angela, in high good humor because Nick's chair was close to hers, was crooning a negro lullaby that fitted the mood of the scene and placed the police, softly muted to suit her audience, brought to each one some tender memory.

George Myer reached for his wife's hand and clasped it. Colonel Nowell's thoughts were thirty years away, visioning another moon-lit night on the

most of Me. Nick was thinking of home—wondering if the babies had grown—seeing the look in Gay's eyes when he kissed her goodbye. It was a moment of pure enchantment. Then the voice ceased. It was the Colonel who broke the silence that followed.

"Are any of you familiar with the state of Maine?"

There was a murmured assent. No one seemed yet quite ready for conversation. As the moonlight fell across her knees Amy withdrew her hand from her husband's clasp, and Nick, with an effort, brought himself back to Bakeraville.

"Nothing to my mind is lovelier than the coast of Maine," the Colonel was saying. "Went there thirty years ago, and haven't missed a half a dozen summers since. Stayed most everywhere from Bar Harbor to York. It's all beautiful; but give me good old Painter's Neck for a steady diet."
(To Be Continued.)

How the Red Mind Works

Communists Do Not Want Love, But Blood and Fire

Why do the Communists always wish to destroy churches and banks.

In a way, we understand their grudge against the banks. They represent wealth, which they would either destroy or share and share alike without working for it. But the churches—what do they teach of brotherly love and letting the dead pass bury its dead, to which the eagerest Communist cannot subscribe? What have they against the Saviour of Mankind, who, in a less complicated state of society than

now exists, strove for those ideals of equality and fraternity which Communists pretend to emulate?

Perhaps it was because the Comrade was too closely tied to the suit of the followers of Karl Marx. He believed in anality through love, not hate — the conquest of the spirit, not of the sword. No Communist favors any such gospel. If he did he would not be a Communist as we recognize him in the pages of history. Love he does not want, but blood and fire — he cannot get too much of that. A revolution without murder and rapine is no revolution, lacking these red wit-

nesses his triumph. And so he makes haste to martyrize religion remembering, no doubt, that the Nazarene said "Render unto Caesar the things which are of Caesar," a precept thoroughly out of joint with Communist opinion, which believes in taking from Caesar the things that are Caesar's and handing them to himself.—Montreal Standard.

British people who will tour Canada under the auspices of the Daily Dispatch newspapers of Great Britain, arrived at Montreal on the S.S. Dorchester of the White Star line on June 14. The party of 40 persons will travel via the C.N.R. lines to Ottawa, Toronto, Niagara Falls and New York, from which port they will sail for home. The Daily Dispatch newspaper has been conducting a "See the Empire" campaign, which has aroused great interest in Canada among the British people, and several parties have been arranged to make brief visits to Canada during the present

Had the Last Word

At a dinner in New York City a well-known literary man was praising Lincoln. "Lincoln," said he, "could not stand tedious writing in other. He once condemned for its tediousness a Greek history, whereupon a diplomat took him to task. 'That author of that history, Mr. President,' he said, 'is one of the foremost scholars of the age. Indeed it may be doubted whether any man of our generation has plunged more deeply in the sacred fount of learn-

ing." "Yes, or come up drier!" r
torted Lincoln.

Office Boy—"There's a travelling
salesman waiting outside, sir — m
with a moustache."

Boss—"Tell him I've got a mou
stache."

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Itching Ends Right Away
 I had eczema for several months. Single application of 'Soothe-Salva' ended itch and burn right away. My skin is now clear." Jane Paula.
 "Soothe-Salva" is quickest known relief for eczema. Itching stops; scales go. All druggists.

Connecticut Reduces

Automobile Accidents

Achieved Decrease Of Ten Per Cent. In Fatalities Last Year

Figures just made public by the Motor Vehicle Commissioner of the State of Connecticut show that while motor fatalities in the nation as a whole increased more than twelve per cent. in 1930, Connecticut achieved a decrease of ten per cent.

Even more heartening was its record in reducing the killing of children about forty per cent. The reduction in automobile accidents of all kinds was twenty-two per cent.

There has been brought about through the full co-operation given state authorities by municipal officials, private organizations, automobile clubs and school teachers.

In lamenting that the death rate is still terribly high, the Connecticut commissioner stresses the familiar causes known to every man and woman who takes hold of a steering wheel—"inattention, reckless driving and failure to grant right-of-way."

There is no reason why every state and province should not equal or improve on Connecticut's reduction rate this year.

When another forms of education
all, communities in self-protection
must inspire offenders. The reck-
less motorist is a worse menace
than the gunman; he causes more
deaths.

Support Urged For League Of Nations

National Convener Of Society Asks
Backing Of People

"There never was a time since the
close of the War when it is so vitally
necessary to support the League of
Nations," says the report of the

League of Nations Society Committee presented by the national convention, Carol A. Gluck, to the national chapter Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire at Halifax.

"Many people, while not active opponents of the League of Nations," the report says, "contend that up to date it has done little to justify its existence, but the world has recognized how *puerile it is to condemn the League because it has not succeeded in erecting an international paradise*, but only an embittered enemy of the League can fail to be impressed by the record of its achievements.

Good-B to Asthma. Persons suffering from that extremely trying trouble known as asthma know what it is to long with all their hearts for escape as from a tyrant. Never do they know when an attack may come and they know that to struggle unaided is vain. With Dr. J. I. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy at hand, however, they can say good-bye to their enemy and enjoy life again. It helps at once.

A New World

Sir Oliver Lodge Believes There Is a Spiritual World Which Interacts With the Material World

of age, is quoted by the London Daily Mail as predicting that the ne-

evolutionary development of science will be the discovery of a "new world."

"It will be a spiritual world which interacts with the material world, but yet is not of it," he said. "It will be discovered that man isn't the highest being in which we have cognition, but that there is a multitude of other intelligences, some of them far more highly endowed than ourselves."

Referring to his 80th birthday, said:

"As long as a man can keep working there is plenty for him to do, whatever his age. But it is no good

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"KING OF PAIN"
LINIMENT

Bees Give Pilot Lively Ride

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Live Broke While Being Transported
From Marseilles To Paris

Casanova, one of the pilots of the Air Union Line, will be careful hereafter about who he "takes for a ride"

At Last! The Truth About DIMPLES

Pimples, acne and blackheads are used by a rundown, disordered system, by those harmful acids and poisons which clog the skin pores. So if you want swiftly to rid yourself of that ugly, blemished complexion and to obtain beautiful, smooth and soft skin for all times—eyes sparkling like diamonds—superb daily health—take Kruschen Salts.

Kruschen Salts are a perfect blend of the six vital salts which nerves, muscles, blood vessels and glands need to receive from food if they're to work properly—but it's simply impossible to obtain these salts in these days of modern cooking.

Therefore take Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water every morning before breakfast. They will dissolve the excess of poisonous minerals into your system—and drives out harmful acids and poisons, assuring you enviable and glorious youthfulness, beauty and health.

Little Helps For This Week

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The Oyen News

About Town and Country

STORES CLOSE AT 1 P.M.
Wednesdays June and July

Mr. George Benbow left for his home in Calgary last Friday and is now taking a course of lessons on the organ. Mr. Benbow has not decided whether he will return to Oyen in September for another year. He has, however, intimated that he is willing to return if a sufficient number of pupils are available.

Oyen is well organized this year for ball teams. Two baseball teams (senior and junior), six men's, four women's and two girls' soft ball teams, all going strong, is somewhat of a record. In the soft ball division the men play scheduled games on Monday and Friday evenings and the women play Tuesday and Saturday evenings.

The senior girls' soft ball team won a closely contested game against Chinook last Wednesday at Cereel sports, the score was 13-12. At Alaskan last Friday night they defeated the Alaskan girls by a score of 21-14.

Mr. J. P. Rorabeck, who was a business visitor in Edmonton, last week, returned Friday.

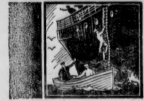
The new concrete sidewalks recently laid on First avenue from Main street to First street east, and on Main street from the theatre to the corner of Second avenue, and two concrete crossings on Main street at the intersection of First avenue, have greatly improved the appearance of these streets and will no doubt be appreciated by all pedestrians.

One block of Main street has been given a covering of sand and gravel and when same has worked into the surface of the road, should put the street into good condition.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Grant and son Jimmy, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. Grant's parents in Nova Scotia, spent last Friday in Oyen. They left Saturday morning for Munson. Mr. Grant will shortly be going on relief duty on the C.N.R., when Mrs. Grant and son will stay in Oyen.

Mrs. Clayton Heath who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Morrell, left last Sunday for Youngstown, en route to the Peace River country, where she will join her husband.

Wesley Byler returned to Oyen last Saturday from Edmonton, after attending the Junior U.F.A. convention.



Taking on the Pilot

Captains of Business, having weathered the storms, set harbor ahead. But the entrance into the coming era of Prosperity may be beset with new problems.

During three quarters of a century, The Bank of Toronto has piloted the business of its clients through many a stormy voyage.

With the experience gained by more than 75 years in Canadian finance this Bank offers service which will be of real value to you in the future development of your business.

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CAPITAL \$6,000,000

RESERVES \$9,000,000

Mr. and Mrs. L. Ray of Rose town, Sask., were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. P. Snyder.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. H. Fizer of Sibbald, on Friday, June 5, 1931, a daughter.

Mr. Paul Oszust of Cessford, Alta., is visiting in the district.

Mr. James Marshall and Mr. Robert McLaren, who were Edmonton visitors last week returned to Oyen last Friday evening.

Mrs. George Ray and daughter Mrs. Howarth, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. P. Snyder, returned to Delia, yesterday.

A reduction of 5 cents a gallon on Kerosene and fifteen per cent on tractor lubricating oils went into effect throughout the prairie provinces last Wednesday.

The weather forecast for tomorrow promises relief from the hot weather of the last three days, by being cool and showery. Maximum temperatures for Monday, Tuesday and today were 96, 100 and 90, respectively.

Church Notices

OYEN UNITED CHURCH

SUNDAY, JUNE 21

EXCEL..... 11.00 a.m.
SUPERIOR..... 2.00 p.m.

OYEN 7.30 p.m.

—TOPIC—

"The Power of the Gospel of Christ"

Rev. H. C. Woods.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH (Anglican)

SUNDAY, JUNE 21

Evening..... 2.00 p.m.
Rev. C. M. K. Parsons

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OYEN THEATRE

Until further notice sound pictures will be shown at this theatre every Wednesday and Saturday at 8 p.m.

Attraction for
Sat. June 20

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and
JOHN BOLES

—In—
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Sports for All

(See posters for list of competitions)

**Free Admission and Free Treat for
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includes: FREE Ice Cream, Candy and Merry-go-round ride

ADMISSION: ADULTS, 50 cents. CHILDREN 12 to 16, 25 cents

"Come early and bring all the family"